



General Assembly

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LCO No. 1061

Referred to Committee on Public Health

Introduced by:

REP. WIDLITZ, 98th Dist.

REP. REED, 102nd Dist.

SEN. MEYER, 12th Dist.

***AN ACT REQUIRING LIFETIME RETENTION OF ELECTRONIC
MEDICAL RECORDS.***

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That section 19a-25c of the general statutes be amended to establish
- 2 a lifetime record retention requirement for any health care provider or
- 3 institution utilizing an electronic medical records system.

Statement of Purpose:

To ensure the preservation of a patient's medical history when recorded electronically.